

Euclid Fire Department

775 East 222nd Street. Euclid. CH 44123-2086

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Re: RM11348

To Whom It May Concern:

Communication has been and remains the biggest single issue facing the emergency responders to date. The lack of a common frequency hinders our ability to work with neighboring communities in the event of a disaster. If we have learned nothing else from the recent disasters, we have learned the need for clear and dedicated communication systems.

We are now faced with the opportunity to address this need. Dedicating the 30MHz of spectrum in the upper 700 MHz band will help address the communication issues we are faced with. The development of a nationwide public safety wireless network is sorely needed. I urge you to strongly consider supporting this allocation to ensure the safety of our citizens,

Sincerely, Frank K. Prijatel Assistant Chief – Euclid Fire Department 216-289-8408